

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 1213 - SB 1284**

March 3, 2015

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Authorizes municipalities incorporated under a city manager-commission charter to establish by ordinance property rights voting in municipal elections; provided that no more than two people are entitled to vote based on the ownership of a single tract of property regardless of the number of property owners.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

**Assumptions:**

- The Department of State, the Office of the Attorney General, and the Comptroller of the Treasury confirm this bill will have no fiscal impact on state operations.
- The Comptroller reports that no additional resources will be required by local property tax assessors to provide property ownership information to municipal election officials to construct rolls or check eligibility.
- Any ordinance enacted would require majority vote at two separate meetings; the ordinance is presumed to be taken up during regularly-scheduled meetings. Any other impact to local governments is estimated to be not significant.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jeffrey L. Spalding".

Jeffrey L. Spalding, Executive Director

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